

while between now and the time in which the committees will be called to report.

Work Opened Anew.

Mr. S. W. Meek also urged immediate work and suggested that there be appointed nineteen committees, one to each district in the city, and that the canvass be opened anew. He nominated Mr. Coleman Wortham as the general chairman of all committees.

Mr. W. W. Hardwick seconded the suggestion and nomination made by Mr. Meek, and offered an amendment, proposing that the general chairman name the chairman of the subcommittees, and that each subcommittee be allowed to select his associates.

The motion with the amendment was carried, and while the general chairman was arranging his associate chairman, the meeting was thrown open for a general discussion of the situation.

John Freeman took advantage of the opportunity to address the meeting and deduced two reasons why the chamber should be the body through which the sum was raised, which should be expended in the furtherance of the city's best interests at home and abroad.

"First," said Mr. Freeman, "it is a well-known fact that A. C. Braxton, father of the Corporation Commission, has said that but for the most substantial assistance and support of the chamber, he should never have attained his success before the Constitutional Convention."

Second, The Council has decided that there is no body more capable of handling the interests of this city than those assembled here.

"It is the duty of the chamber to see to the success of this movement."

Subscriptions on the Spot.

In conclusion, Mr. Freeman called on Mr. Joseph Bryan for an expression of opinion. Mr. Bryan said he had come into the meeting rather cold-blooded, but he had been considerably warmed up since getting in. He felt that the failure of the movement would have a serious effect upon the city.

Mr. John Skelton Williams briefly addressed the meeting and subscribed an additional \$100 on behalf of the interests he represented. Mr. E. G. Leigh followed in like manner, and a few minutes later, Judge Christian declared that he would double his original gift.

Many other subscriptions were made on the spot. Representatives of the Cottrell Saddle Company, Noland and Baskerville, Schwarzschild Brothers, Owens and Minor Drug Company, W. W. Hardwick, and others added \$25 more. The R. W. Wilson Paper Company subscribed an additional \$50 and several others gave smaller sums ranging from \$10 to \$15. The Gordon Metal Company and the Shepherd Lumber Company also doubled their subscriptions.

Dr. Frank W. Stiff, a prominent dentist, announced that he felt sure the members of his profession would lend a helping hand if they were asked to do so. He volunteered his services on a committee for this purpose, and his offer was accepted.

The Committees.

General Chairman Wortham announced the appointment of the following gentlemen as his nineteen subcommittees, with authority to name three associate committeemen to go out and canvass.

R. S. Tuck, J. Douglas Lecky, E. T. Harrison, L. O. Miller, W. W. Hardwick, Henry Le Valentine, S. H. Hayes, S. K. McKee, Eugene C. Massie, S. W. Meek, J. L. Stewart, Bryan, O. H. Funsten, Jacob Gans, Thomas S. Armistead, J. J. Marcuse, W. T. Field and John C. Freeman.

Mr. Joseph Bryan was appointed general chairman of a committee which will call upon individuals which the general committees were unlikely to see, and Messrs. E. G. Leigh, Jr., John Skelton Williams and James R. Gordon were named as his associates.

Dr. Paulus Irving was appointed to wait upon the doctors.

The following are the committees so far completed:

S. W. Meek, chairman; D. R. Midyette, O. J. Sands, G. W. Bahkle, E. T. Harrison, chairman; L. S. Jenkins, Dr. J. G. Nelson, L. S. W. P. Schwarzschild, chairman; J. D. Lecky, N. B. Walker, E. C. Blanton.

Thos. S. Armistead, chairman; Peyton Grymes, D. S. Harwood, John G. Armistead.

O. H. Funsten, chairman; A. B. Blair, F. C. Williams, William Woodward.

Jacob Gans, chairman; J. P. Sadler, Charles Brown, R. P. Winston.

S. Tuck, chairman; Fred. Jurgens.

J. J. Marcuse, chairman; Basil M. Gwathmey, R. G. Reynolds.

Joseph Bryan, chairman; E. G. Leigh, James R. Gordon, John Skelton Williams.

S. K. McKee, chairman; S. T. Pulliam, S. S. Rosendorf, Frank W. Brown.

PHYSICIANS TO WORK WITH WILL

Meeting to Be Held To-Night for Purpose of Pushing Movement.

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—the distinguishing sort.



Bacon said: "Reading maketh a full man, conference a ready man and writing an exact man."

READ our daily advertisements and we'll keep you full of clothing information.

CONFER with our customers and you'll be ready to come in.

Or WRITE and you'll get the exact article you order—or money back.

If you're not familiar with our goods and our methods, we want to invite you to get posted.

References—anyone who's tried us.

O. H. Berry & Co. HATS & BOYS' OUTFITTERS.

Plans were discussed for advertising the city, a special appeal was made to the members of the medical profession to join in the movement.

A committee consisting of Dr. Stuart McGuire, Dr. Charles A. Blanton, Dr. Ennion G. Williams and Dr. Paulus A. Irving, was appointed by the president of the Chamber to take this matter up.

This committee met last night and decided to appoint a representative committee of twenty-five or thirty physicians of the city, who are asked to meet to-night at 8:30 at the T. P. A. building, Third and Main Streets.

The plans for advertising the city will then be explained in detail by a prominent member of the Chamber of Commerce.

Dr. Irving stated last night that owing to the short time, it would not be practicable to get written invitations to the gentlemen who are to serve on this general committee, and they are asked to take the publication of this notice as their invitation to serve and to be present at the meeting to-night.

The members of the general committee are: Dr. M. L. Anderson, Dr. Harry Baker, Dr. Greer Baughman, Dr. W. S. Bessley, Dr. J. E. Bright, Dr. Manfred Call, Dr. Charles V. Carrington, Dr. H. S. Gurey, Dr. W. B. Foster, Dr. R. A. Gartin, Dr. A. S. Gray, Dr. Virgilus Harrison, Dr. M. D. Hoge, Dr. Paulus A. Irving, Dr. Stuart McGuire, Dr. William P. Mathers, Dr. W. P. Meyer, Dr. Thomas D. Merrick, Dr. Clifton Miller, Dr. J. Garnett Nelson, Dr. McGuire Nowlan, Dr. T. A. Parker, Dr. W. L. Pender, Dr. M. W. Pender, Dr. L. T. Price, Dr. Charles R. Robins, Dr. B. L. Tallaferra, Dr. Ennion G. Williams, Dr. A. M. Willis.

TRAIN TOO SLOW, SO WATSON SLUDD PORTER

Once Candidate for Presidency of United States Bests Negro Who Talks Loud.

An Augusta, Ga., special says: The railroad and race problem were joined on a train between Atlanta and Augusta yesterday when Thomas Watson, once candidate of the Populist party for the presidency of the United States, and now the editor of a magazine in Atlanta, engaged in an altercation with a railroad porter, which ended in blows.

Mr. Watson was on a Pullman car and was annoyed by the slow time made by the train. He and the conductor engaged in a talking match, in which the porter soon became a party, the negro taking up for the road's side of the question.

Then Mr. Watson grew excited and landed the porter a whaling blow in the face with his grip. For a while it looked as though serious trouble would be the outcome between the negro, Mr. Watson, his friends and the conductor, but finally peace was restored.

The train was stopped for twenty minutes before the difficulty was finally settled.

Whose Carrier Pigeon?

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) BALTIMORE, Md., April 16.—A carrier pigeon came to the house of Mr. N. C. Lynch last night. Its number is 11735. Mr. Lynch will hold him several days for information.

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NEWS GATHERED FROM SOUTHSIDE

Alderman Patram Would Not Allow Councilmen to Be Fire Commissioners.

ORDINANCE WAS TABLED

Funeral of Colonel A. G. Evans This Morning at 10 o'Clock.

Personals and Briefs.

Manchester Bureau, Times-Dispatch, No. 1102 11th Street.

An ordinance having for its object the election of five commissioners from citizens who are not members of the Council was introduced in the meeting of the Board of Aldermen by Mr. H. L. Patram, of the Third Ward last night.

After a long discussion, the matter was tabled, Messrs. Patram and Moore being the only members who voted in the affirmative. Alderman Ridd, laboring under a misapprehension, voted aye when he would have voted in the negative.

Had the ordinance been favorably considered, it would have meant that sixteen members of the Council who are now fire or police commissioners would have had to pay their fares on the street cars in the future.

Under the Constitution the Fire and Police Commissioners of cities have a right to ride free on street cars, but Councilmen have not.

Manchester has sixteen Fire Commissioners and four Police Commissioners. The lower body of the Council is composed of three members from each ward—there are four wards—twelve members and the upper branch has two members each from the four wards—eight members. Twenty Councilmen make the whole body.

If the Council should adopt the resolution for the ordinance presented by Mr. Patram, there would be only four members who would have the privilege of riding on complimentary street car tickets. In the event that the resolution remains on the table where it now is, all the Councilmen will continue to ride without cost.

For two months a meeting of the Fire Commissioners has not been held because it has been impossible to get a quorum together. Firemen, substitutes and extra men, are to be elected. The commissioners have to be elected before the names of these men to the Council.

The Alms House Matter.

The charges that Assemblyman L. R. Brown, of the First Ward, will prefer against Superintendent William Allen, of the Alms House, and not in any court.

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